



# MICHIGAN WING CONFERENCE 2001 10-12 May 2002

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## SEMINARS

We have an outstanding program scheduled for this year's conference. Here is a small sample:

- Aircrew Coordination
- Automatic Position Reporting System (APRS)
- Air Radiological Monitoring
- Disaster Incident Command
- How to Prepare for Encampment
- CAP and the 800MHz State Radio System
- Specialty Track Meetings
- CAP Air Operations
- Honor/Color Guard Clinic
- Tabletop Disaster Exercise
- Model Aircraft Building
- Hands-on Aerospace Activities
- CAP Bookstore & Supply Depot
- . . . and much, much more

## Keeping an Eye on Michigan's Skies Homeland Security

As our horrified Nation watched the events of September 11th unfold, Civil Air Patrol members throughout Michigan and the U.S. were already mobilizing to help. In Michigan, aircrews and ground teams stood ready and radio nets and Emergency Operations Centers were manned. Nationwide, all other aircraft were grounded while CAP took the first aerial photographs of Ground Zero and flew robotics equipment, thermal sensors and critical supplies for Ground Zero workers.

CAP was called upon again to provide air security for the Winter Olympics. With aerial slow scan video and high resolution digital pictures, CAP aircraft patrolled critical areas and called in suspicious activities.

General Bowling, CAP's National Commander, is in the process of fi-

nalizing how CAP will contribute to Homeland Security efforts. In order to be ready, our members need to recruit and train to do what is needed.

Christine VanHorn of the US Dept of Energy will talk about new methods of detecting radioactive materials from the air and how CAP can help.

From the Michigan State Police, Bob Sauer will teach a practical approach to the incident command system as it applies to CAP, and Lt Gene Adamczyk will talk about getting CAP on the State 800MHz radios.

Lt. Bill Chesney will show how Michigan Wing can provide real time tracking of aircraft and ground teams with APRS.

Cpt. Don McLellan, of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department will teach homeland security tasks for ground team members.



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For more conference  
information:

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| <b>Address:</b>                |   | <b>Email:</b>             |                                       |
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| <b>Others being registered</b> |   | <b>Charter #:</b>         |                                       |
| <b>Circle Entré</b>            | <b>Prime Rib</b>                                    | <b>Vegetarian Lasagna</b> | <b>Chicken with Cherry Wine Sauce</b> |
| <b>Qty</b>                     |   | <b>Price</b>              | <b>Total</b>                          |
|                                | Conference Only                                     | \$15.00                   |                                       |
|                                | Banquet Only – (circle entrée above)                | \$30.00                   |                                       |
|                                | Conference & Banquet                                | \$40.00                   |                                       |
|                                | Banquet—After Dinner                                | \$5.00                    |                                       |
|                                | Late Fee— each registrant postmarked after 1 May 02 | \$10.00                   |                                       |
|                                | Check # <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                          |                           |                                       |

Enclosed is an additional donation to help cadets offset the cost of Conference:  
[ ] \$10  
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## Sunday's Activities

There are a number of activities scheduled for Sunday.

**Church Services** will be held from 0745-0845.

**Commander's Call** is scheduled from 0845 to 1015 hours on Sunday morning. The meeting is open to Com-

manders (or appropriate designee) and Cadet Commanders.

**CAC Meeting** will begin at 0845 until 1015. All units should have a CAC representative present.

**Tabletop Disaster Exercise** will be held from 1015 to

1315 hours. All members are encouraged to attend and practice the Incident Command System. Mr. Bob Sauer of the Michigan State Police will oversee the exercise and coach participants.

## Join us Friday for Fun and Fellowship

Registration will open at 1830 on Friday evening.

At 1900, check out the **U.S. Coast Guard Rescue Helicopter** which will land at the resort. The crew will give a briefing on Coast Guard rescue operations and their role in Homeland Security as well as demonstrate rescue equipment and give a tour of the aircraft.

An **Air Branch Training Meeting** will be held beginning at 2100 hours. This is open to all **Air Branch Directors, Pilots, Observers, and Scanners as well as their trainees.** The latest updates will be discussed as well as

training tips for homeland defense missions.

**Ice Cream for everyone!** Will begin at 0830 and continue into the evening. Join your fellow CAP members for meeting and greeting, reminiscing, and catching up with friends.

**C**heck out the conference website at: [miwg.cap.gov/conference.htm](http://miwg.cap.gov/conference.htm) for updated information about conference, seminars and more. You can also download this registration flier. See you at the conference!